

Longport Farmers Market Vendor Information/ Application Form 2016 Season

The Borough of Longport, in cooperation with Longport's green team, Sustainable Longport, will be hosting its first ever bike up farmers market. The market will be held from 8:30 am to 12 noon on the second and fourth Saturday starting in June. Market dates include: 6/11/16, 6/25/16, 7/9/16, 7/23/16, 8/13/16, 8/27/16 and ending 9/10/16. The market will be open rain or shine except for declared weather emergencies.

The market will be held behind Longport Borough Hall at 2305 Atlantic Avenue, Longport, NJ.

The purpose of the market will be to:

- 1. Help provide access to local fresh foods
- 2. Support our local growers and businesses
- 3. Raise sustainability awareness

About Longport:

The Borough of Longport is a small seashore community, approximately one mile long and a half-mile wide. It is located on Absecon Island and neighbors the City of Margate. The year round population is an estimated 900 persons; however, summer populations can reach up to 15,000. It has a small downtown area, but is mostly residential. Residents and visitors alike enjoy Longport's pristine beaches.

Application Process and Fee Schedule:

Complete and submit an application for consideration. Please have applications submitted by April 4, 2016. Applications are available online at www.longportnj.gov. Vendors will be selected at the discretion of the committee. Vendors will be notified of their selection.

If you are selected as a vendor, please note that there is an Annual Seasonal Participation fee for an approximate 20'x 20' location. The fee is \$200 for the season. Vendors must bring their own tents, tables and chairs. Tents must have tent weights (minimum of 25 lbs. per pole) to keep them secured to the ground.

Food Vendor Permitting:

The Atlantic County Division of Public Health requires all mobile retail food vendors to submit an application to their department prior to participating in a special/temporary event or vending in any municipality within the County (except Atlantic City). A "Mobile Retail Food

Establishment" means any movable restaurant, truck, van trailer, cart, bicycle, watercraft, or other movable unit including hand carried, portable containers in or which food or beverage is transported, stored, or prepared for retail sale or given away at temporary locations. The appropriate applications outlined below can be found online: http://www.aclink.org/PublicHealth

- 1. If you have not submitted an application to this Department for the current year: fill out and submit a "Mobile Retail Food Establishment Application" for review and approval
- 2. If you are a Mobile Retail Food Establishment that has already been approved to operate within this county for the current year and plan to participate in a special event: Fill out and submit a "Mobile Retail Food Application Amendment" prior to the event.
- 3. If you have already received a license or "approval to operate in Vineland City or Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Salem Counties: Submit a copy of the original application and a "Mobile Retail Food Establishment Amendment"

If you have any questions, please contact Jill Miles at the Atlantic County Division of Public Health at 609.645.5971 ext. 4367 or Mark Vetter at 609.645.5971 ext. 4382.

Longport Farmers Market 2016 Hold Harmless Agreement Indemnification & Release Form

The undersigned, as additional consideration for being permitted to be a Vendor at the Longport Farmers Market, does hereby agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Borough of Longport, its officers, employees, agents and servants from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, actions, recoveries, judgments, costs and expenses including attorney's fees, incurred or suffered on account of property damage or loss and/or personal injury, including loss of life, of any person, agency, corporation or governmental entity which shall arise out of, or in any way relate to, any acts or omissions, in either case intentional or otherwise, of the undersigned, its employees, agents, servants, subcontractors patrons, invitees or customers in connection with the undersign's activities at the Longport farmers market. The obligations of the undersigned as set forth herein shall survive the 2016 Longport Farmers market season.

I hereby state that I have read, understand, and agree to the above provision.

Zip Code:
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Please submit the above in addition to required insurance and health department documents. All necessary documents and fees due by May 1, 2016.

Mail application documents to:

Longport Farmers Market The Borough of Longport 2305 Atlantic Avenue Longport, NJ 08403

Or email to: mkyle@longport-nj.us

Longport Farmers Market Rules 2016

- 1. Dates of the Market: The Longport Farmers Market will be open for the 2016 season on the following Saturdays: 6/11, 6/25, 7/9, 7/23, 8/13, 8/27, and 9/10.
- 2. Times for Set-Up and Market Sales: The market will be open for business from 8:30 am to 12 noon. Vendors may arrive at 7 am to set-up and must be complete by 8 am. All cleanup must be completed by 12:30 pm.
- 3. Location: The market is held behind Longport's municipal building located at 2305 Atlantic Avenue, Longport, NJ. All vendor spaces will be located in the back parking lot.
- 4. Vendors must disclose all products they intend to sell.
- 5. Farm products should be harvested no more than 48 hours before being offered for sale at the market.
- 6. Fees: For vendors selected to participate in the Farmers Market, the annual Seasonal Participation location fee is:
 - \$200 for an approximate 20' x 20' location. Please make checks out to the **Borough of Longport**.
- 7. Insurance: All vendors will be required to have \$500,000/\$1,000,000 liability insurance with the Borough of Longport named as additional insured.
- 8. Upon acceptance notification, all vendors will be required to submit the Hold Harmless Agreement, proof of appropriate insurance, health certificates and licenses by May 1, 2016.
- 9. Space and Parking Designation: Market space and parking designation will be provided to each vendor. Each vendor's participation fee is for a space roughly 20' x 20' feet. All spaces are located outside. Vendors are responsible for bringing all tables, canopies, tents, tent weights, or umbrellas and equipment. Additional requirements should be discussed with the borough. Vendors are required to park their vehicles in the assigned spot.
- 10. Compliance with Regulations: Vendors are responsible for compliance with applicable municipal, county, state and federal regulations, such as (but not limited to): agricultural business license; pesticide licensing and safe use; approval seal of the New Jersey Office of Weights and Measures on all scales; State sales tax collected and reported as required; organic certification on claimed products as required; food safety, sanitation, health permits and labeling requirements pertaining to the items for sale; State inspection of nursery stock required for selling whole plants for replanting; (packs or pots). If the

Boroughor Market Manager is advised by the appropriate authority that applicable regulations are not being complied with, a vendor will be removed from the list of eligible vendors.

- 11. Vendor Conduct: Vendors should present themselves in an appropriate manner, dress, and state of cleanliness. Shirts must be worn. Vendors must completely clean up the area around their designated space and sales area before leaving the Market each day after closing time. Their area is to be left "broom swept" and free of debris. Vendors not complying with this provision may be asked not to return to the market without a refund. Vendors are not to smoke cigarettes during market hours or in the market area.
- 12. These rules may be modified to address unanticipated circumstances not herein covered. Modifications will be communicated to all vendors in a timely manner and shall state the reason and the specific duration of the modification.
- 13. For the safety of vendors and patrons, every vendor using a tent must procure and use tent weights with a minimum of 25 pounds per tent pole. No vendor will be permitted to sell without the required tent weights.
- 14. Longport has a carryout bag fee ordinance that requires vendors to charge an additional 10 cents per single use bag provided, with some exceptions provided. We request that vendors consider providing alternative packaging/ bagging solutions. The market will be advertised as a bike up market in the hope that participants will either bike or walk to the market. In addition, participants will be reminded to bring a reusable bag or basket to bring home any purchased products.

Application Information Longport Farmers Market 2016

Date:	
Contact Name:	
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Address:	
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Instagram or other Social Mo	edia:
Please describe all th	e products you wish to sell at the Market:
tables, your advertisi	onal comments or attach labels, photos of your products or display ng graphics, market signage, price sheets, or promotional materials, es or other items that communicate your product or business:
By submitting this application Farmers' Market Rules 2016	on, each applicant accepts, and agrees to comply with, the Longport 6.
Send your completed applica	ation to:
Longport Farmers Market The Borough of Longport 2305 Atlantic Avenue Longport, NJ 08403	